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FEARED 300 LOST LIVES WHEN TWO VESSELS COLLIDED LAST NIGHT IN IRISH SEA; BOTH CRAFT WENT DOWN

Connemara, Owned by London and Northwestern Railway, and Retriever, of London, Struck Off Carlingford Lough and Sank; a Few Bodies Have Been Washed Ashore on County Down Coast

London, Nov. 4.—The London and Northwestern railway steamer Connemara, bound from Greenvale to Holyhead with passengers, collided with the steamship Retriever in the Irish sea last night. Both vessels were sunk, and it is feared the death roll is about 300. As far as is known there is only one survivor from both ships.

The railway company says it is unable to state whether any Canadians or Americans were aboard these vessels. They seldom carry saloon passengers.

London, Nov. 4.—A dispatch to Lloyds' shipping agency from Belfast says that the collision between the steamships Connemara and Retriever occurred off Carlingford Lough, an inlet on the Irish coast, between the counties of Down and Louth. The Retriever was inward bound.

A few bodies have been washed ashore on the County Down coast. The dispatch says it is feared 300 lives have been lost.

Fifty Passengers.

London, Nov. 4.—The marine superintendent of the London & Northwestern railway said that so far as he knew there were only 50 passengers on the Connemara. Her crew numbered 31.

Forty From Newry.

London, Nov. 4.—A dispatch from Newry, 34 miles southwest of Belfast, received by the London Press Association, says there were about 40 passengers from Newry on board the Connemara.

The Connemara of 1,106 tons gross and 272 feet long, was built at Dumbarton in 1906.

The Retriever was 190 feet long, of 674 tons gross, and was built at Goole, Eng., in 1909. She was owned by the West Coast of America Telegraph Co., of London.

A steamer service is maintained by the London & Northwestern railway between Holyhead, Wales and Greenore, Ireland, a distance of about 80 miles across the Irish Sea.

CANADIAN GUNS HAVE BEEN DOING SHARE

Have Been Bombarding Steadily North of Somme; Official Account

London, Nov. 4.—The following communication was issued by the Canadian record office in London to-day:

"Canadian communiqué—During the past week there have been no active infantry operations, although large patrols at night have reconnoitred enemy positions. Our artillery, despite the unfavorable weather, has maintained a steady bombardment of the German trenches. Many of these are now subject to close observation and any movement or activity of the enemy has immediately drawn a concentrated fire. Upon one occasion in particular a certain trench was reported to be full of Germans. Our guns were turned on and caused a very noticeable destruction."

A heavy monotonous task has been demanded of our men in the work of improving and consolidating their lines. They have labored under the worst of climatic conditions. The weather during the day time has been consistently cold and rainy, although at night time the sky usually has cleared and given a decided promise of improvement.

"The enemy has made no further attempt to retake the trenches recently captured by us."

WILSON LINER SPERO SUNK BY SUBMARINE

London, Nov. 4.—The Wilson liner Spero, of 1,132 tons gross has been sunk, according to a dispatch from Hull to the Daily Mail.

The Spero was 250 feet long, 30 feet beam and 15 feet deep. The vessel was built in 1896 and was owned by the T. Wilson Sons & Co. Ltd., of Hull.

INTERMITTENT SHELLING ON THE FRENCH FRONT

Paris, Nov. 4.—There was intermittent cannonading along the Somme front and in the region of Fort Vaux and Fort Douaumont, on the Verdun front, last night, the war office announced this afternoon.

PEACE COULD BE HELD FOR WORLD

Possibilities Should United States and Latin-Americans Join Entente League

SIR CHIOZZA MONEY WRITES OF FUTURE

London, Nov. 4.—Sir Leo Chiozza Money, M.P., well known economist and member of the war trade advisory committee, has written an article entitled "Trustees of Civilization—the United States as Judge of the Supreme Court."

"It was inevitable that the United States could not remain a mere spectator of the European conflagration. The United States government has dominion over one of the few great territories of a small world, a world in relation to man's activities by multiplying the means of locomotion and communication. The time has gone forever when any part of the world could look on with indifference or detachment while another part suffered that suspension of civilization which we call war."

Compelled to Act.

Sir Leo declares further: "The American government finds itself compelled, in the interests alike of humanity, of treaty rights and of the immediate safety of its subjects, to take a determined hand in the bloody affairs of the Old World and to assert itself as a chief trustee of affronted civilization."

Either the war, Sir Leo goes on, must end in such a peace "as will end for mankind the possibility of its renewal," or the world in the whole will be exposed to hideous hazards. Against these hazards, given an inconclusive peace, each power would have to prepare armaments of a kind and degree which would reduce the warlike preparations of the past to a microscopic scale.

Further, Sir Leo says: "What I venture to put it to any neutral citizen of this integral world ought to be the attitude of every sane man towards the new dangers which confront the safety of the nations and the very safety of man?" It is the manifest duty of every spectator to leave the auditorium for the arena; to pass from spectator to man of action; to leave contemplation for the honor of mankind and the safety and welfare of his posterity.

Great Pact.

"There is a great pact in the new world between the British empire, France, the Russian empire, and Italy, to war upon the central empires until Belgium, Serbia, and Montenegro are restored in their right and liberties and until the menace of Prussian militarism and all that goes with it is ended."

"Here, then, we have combined for a great and common purpose some 800,000, or one-half of all the people of all the world. Consider, then, the possibilities for the world, which would obtain if to these we add the 300,000,000 of the United States of America, bringing with them as they undoubtedly would, the assent, acclamation and possibly lively consent of 70,000,000 Latin-Americans. Within such a pact as this there could in very truth be made treaties which would spell the end of war by the nations consenting to a common rule among themselves. They could impose upon the remainder of the world a rule of peace."

GIFT FROM KING

London, Nov. 4.—The king has given £20 for a church army hut at Wind-sor for the Canadian Lumbermen's Battalions.

ABOUT TO INCREASE WAR ON NEUTRALS

Germany's Plans Regarding Ships Whose Cargoes Are Examined by British

MAY START TO SINK ALL NEUTRAL SHIPS SHE CAN

Effort to Make a Hole in British Navy's Close Blockade

London, Nov. 4.—A special dispatch from Amsterdam features a statement of the Berlin Kreuz Zeitung to the effect that Germany has decided to make the safety of neutral ships carrying mineral cargoes dependent upon guarantees that no part of such cargoes shall be landed, whether through British compulsion or not, at any British port.

Such guarantees, according to the Kreuz Zeitung, can consist only in formal undertakings by Great Britain, and such undertaking will be recognized by Germany only from case to case.

No Inviolability.

This is taken to mean that in the event of any neutral cargo or part thereof being landed in the United Kingdom, the German government immediately will cease to recognize the inviolability of neutral ships. The Berlin paper implies that the case of the Dutch freighter Bloemerdijk, which was sunk by a German submarine off Nantucket on October 8, will be argued along these lines, and it will be contended that as the intermediate destination of the vessel was Kirkwall, there was no guarantee that the whole cargo would reach Holland.

The British press also infers from a Berlin dispatch summarized in the Koelnische Zeitung, that Germany proposes to sink all the neutral ships she can, whether bearing neutral cargoes or otherwise, unless Great Britain consents to abandon the right to compel discharge at Kirkwall of any part of a neutral cargo suspected of having an enemy destination.

GERMANS EJECTED BY BRITISH TROOPS

Thrown From British Trenches Near Guinchy; Attack North of Somme Failed

London, Nov. 4.—Strong German forces last night entered British trenches near Guinchy, 7 miles east of Bethune, says an official statement issued this afternoon, but the invaders were immediately expelled.

German troops yesterday launched a counter-attack east of Gueudecourt, north of the Somme, the statement adds, but they suffered very heavy losses in proportion to their strength.

The text of the statement follows:

"Rain fell heavily during the night. We successfully raided enemy lines northeast of Armentieres (near the Belgian frontier.)

"A strong enemy party entered our trenches near Guinchy, but was repelled.

"An enemy counter-attack east of Gueudecourt (north of the Somme) yesterday suffered very heavy losses in proportion to its strength. Over 100 dead have been counted. Thirty prisoners and four machine guns were captured."

German Statement.

Berlin, Nov. 4.—Attacks yesterday on German positions northwest of Gueudecourt and in the Gueudecourt-Lesboeufs were repulsed, the war office announced to-day.

The text of the statement follows:

"Hostile attacks north of the Somme were preceded by violent artillery duels. The attacks, however, carried out in only light fashion under our fire to the northwest of Courclette and in the sector of Gueudecourt and Lesboeufs, were repulsed.

Nine hostile aeroplanes were shot down in aerial engagements and by anti-aircraft guns.

"Army group of the German crown prince—The hostile fire increased considerably during the afternoon against our positions on the heights east of the Meuse (Verdun front). French attacks between Douaumont and Vaux were without success."

FRANKFURTER ZEITUNG AND WILSON'S PEACE IDEA

Berlin, Nov. 4.—The Frankfurter Zeitung prints a leading editorial expressing the opinion that the outcome of the election in the United States is very much in doubt. It treats with sympathy President Wilson's programme for eliminating war through a peace organization established through a propaganda of the peace idea, but refrains from expressing a preference between the candidates.

GERMAN CLAIM ABOUT FRONT IN GALICIA

Berlin, Nov. 4.—The following official statement dealing with operations on the front in Galicia was issued to-day:

"Our successes on the left bank of the Narayuvka river were increased by the storming of additional portions of the Russian main positions southwest of Fels'-Krasnoleza. They were maintained against hostile attempts to reconquer them."

MAJORITY AGAINST CONSCRIPTION IN AUSTRALIA IS CUT

Melbourne, Nov. 4.—While returns from the conscription referendum are still incomplete, the majority in opposition to compulsory service is being reduced daily.

ON THE CARSO FRONT ITALIANS ADVANCED OVER ONE KILOMETRE

Rome, Nov. 4.—Continuing their new offensive against the Austro-Hungarian forces in the Carso region, Italian forces yesterday advanced in the direction of the Wippach river for a distance of more than one kilometre. During the day the Italians took 553 prisoners.

5,999 RECRUITS IN MONTH OF OCTOBER

Were 358 Fewer in Canada Than During Month of September

371,595 HAVE JOINED SINCE THE BEGINNING

Ottawa, Nov. 4.—The total recruiting during the fortnight ended October 31 amounted to 2,830, as compared with 3,159 during the preceding fortnight. This makes a total for the month of 5,999, as against 6,357 during the month of September and 7,267 during August. The extent of the dropping off is indicated by the fact that the total recruits for the first month of this year were 29,212.

The Toronto district leads the list for the fortnight with 492 men. Montreal comes next with 474; Manitoba and Saskatchewan, 428; British Columbia, 423; Kingston 286; Maritime Provinces, 281; London, 165; Alberta, 162; Quebec 118.

For the month the Montreal district leads the list with 1,168. Toronto comes next with 939.

The total recruiting to date has been 271,595.

GENERAL ELECTION WITHIN ONE YEAR

Opinion Growing at Ottawa Voters Will Be Summoned to Polls

Ottawa, Nov. 4.—The feeling is growing here that there will be a general election within the next year. Last night at Toronto Hon. A. E. Kemp definitely announced that it is the intention of the government to make a move this season to secure a further extension of the parliamentary term, which expires in October next. That will bring the matter before Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who up to the present time has made no public statement as to his intentions. While some Liberals here say that the policy of the opposition will be decided by the course of events during the next few months, the majority declare that there will be no further extension. They maintain that it is the desire of the majority of the people that they should be given an opportunity to express their opinion at the polls.

The Evening Free Press says:

"An application for an extension of the parliamentary term by Sir Robert Borden may be regarded as the opening gun in a political fight which will conclude with an election. Refusal by Sir Wilfrid Laurier to agree to an extension will be the second gun of the fight. It will mean the acceptance of the government's challenge of battle. In fact it will mean a little more, for the government cannot get out of a fight. It is between the statute of expiration and the Liberal refusal."

GERMAN PAPERS DEAL WITH AMERICAN ELECTION

Berlin, Nov. 4.—The German press shows considerable interest in the approaching election in the United States, printing all available news arriving by way of Holland, or reprinting summaries of the situation from old English papers. The Roman Catholic organ, the Koelnische Volks Zeitung, to-day devoted a lengthy editorial to the subject, but studiously avoided taking sides. If the German people at one time, it may be, sided with one of the candidates because they assumed that he was more friendly to Germany, they now see their mistake.

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TOO MANY SENIOR CANADIAN OFFICERS

Over 200 Idle in England, Units Having Been Broken Up

STATEMENT BY WOUNDED OFFICER AT WINNIPEG

Lieuts., Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Needed for Trenches

Winnipeg, Nov. 4.—That 200 or more Canadian lieutenants, majors and other senior officers are at Shorncliffe and other military centres in England, drawing the full pay of their respective ranks, but not attached to any unit and with no prospect whatever of getting to France, is a statement made by a recently returned wounded officer here.

"It is utterly useless sending any more infantry officers of ranks higher than captain to England," he declared. "As soon as battalions arrive they are broken up for reinforcements and the reinforcements they want in the trenches are not colonels, but lieutenants and non-commissioned officers and men."

All these senior officers, of course,

are keen to get to the front, and many of them make immense sacrifices to do so." It is said that at least twenty lieutenants-colonels and majors have reverted to rank of lieutenant in order to see service.

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BULGARIAN STATEMENT.

Sofia, Nov. 4.—The war office in a summary of conditions yesterday said: "Macedonian front—In a weak attack the plain of Bitola was bombed fruitlessly. In the Struma valley there was ineffective artillery firing. The enemy abandoned the village of Karakaka.

"Romanian front—There has been no change. Warships of the enemy shelled Constanza, but were driven off by our coastguard guns. Along the

Danube there was a mild exchange of cannon and rifle fire."

SUCCEEDS PAISH.

Ottawa, Nov. 4.—The appointment is formally gazetted of Wm. Mitchell Aworth, of London, as a commissioner to inquire into the Canadian railway situation, to succeed Sir George Paish, who resigned.

"Demand Phoenix Beer. Home product."

MORE PROGRESS MADE IN REGION OF VAUX

French Pressed on to Outskirts
of Village; Footing
on Crest

Paris, Nov. 4.—The following official report was issued last night:

"On the right bank of the Meuse, after the capture of Fort Vaux, our infantry continued its advance to the outskirts of the village of Vaux, and north of Vaux Lake. We gained a footing on the crest dominating the village. The enemy did not attempt a counter-attack.

"There is nothing of importance to report on the rest of the front except the usual artillery activity."

British Report.

London, Nov. 4.—The following statement was issued by the war office last night:

"Enemy troops on Thursday afternoon delivered counter-attacks against the trench east of Gueudecourt, north of the Somme, captured previously by us, but were completely repulsed. During the day our artillery and trench mortars bombed enemy lines east of Fauquescourt and in the neighborhood of Blainville.

"Yesterday in the course of aerial combat two enemy machines were destroyed."

"Buffalo Nickel Cuff Links made by Haynes, are serviceable and artistic."

STRONG POSITIONS TAKEN BY ITALIANS

Further Gains in Offensive Re-
ported by War Office
at Rome

Rome, Nov. 4.—The following official report was issued last evening:

"Julian front—From Gorizia to the sea hard fighting, which resulted in further successes along the northern brow of the Carso plateau, continued yesterday. There the troops of the 11th Army Corps, who repulsed violent counter-attacks, took strong defences on difficult ground east of Volliko Brach and Mount Pecinka.

"After taking several trenches and clearing the enemy out of the woods and caves, the 4th and 45th Divisions, in spite of an intense artillery fire and counter-attacks, held the line running from Mount Faite over the heights of Point 319 to Point 229 on the Oppachella-Castagnavizza road, 700 metres west of the latter.

"On the remainder of the front east of Gorizia and from Hudlig to the sea, all the positions gained by our troops on November 1 have been maintained notwithstanding incessant attacks which were supported by concentrated artillery fire.

"During the day we took 3,498 prisoners, including 114 officers, among them a brigade commander, a regimental commander and three field officers. Two mountain guns, numerous machine guns and large quantities of arms and ammunition and war material of all kinds also fell into our hands.

"During a hostile air raid on the night of November 1-2 over the lower Isonzo, our guns brought down hydroplane L-75. The officer and pilot were killed."

Infantry Statement.

Vienna, Nov. 4.—The war office reported as follows last evening:

"On the front in the coastal region most bitter fighting took place yesterday. The Italians continued their attacks, and, in doing so, used huge masses of men and large quantities of munitions. In the Wippach valley our positions in the Fanowitz wood, near Sober, east of Citerba, were the scene of furious attacks. The enemy was repelled everywhere. On the Carso plateau an Italian massed attack, which commenced by way of the Pecinka height along the road to Castagnavizza, was brought to a standstill with severe enemy losses. There two batteries fell into the hands of the enemy.

"On the southern part of the plateau all enemy attacks broke down before the front held by the brave Austrian Landsturm regiments numbers 22 and 38 and Austrian Infantry regiments numbers 15 and 98. The number of Italian prisoners increased to 220 men.

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"Previously reported missing; now officially reported prisoner of war—Pte. G. J. Thompson, Bellville, Ont.

"Seriously ill—Pte. R. H. Morrison, Dartmouth, N. S.; Sgt. A. E. Wood, Mactaquac, N. B.

"Previously reported missing; now duty—Pte. L. F. Reinhold, Red Deer, Alta.

"Wounded—Pte. W. G. Johnston, Calgary; Pte. G. McLaughlin, St. John, N. B.; Corp. L. Morrison, Quebec; Pte. L. Sharp, Belcarres, Sask.; Pte. W. H. Durrick, Calgary; Pte. E. W. McEwan, Quebec; Pte. W. E. McLain, Wishart, Sask.; Pte. A. Roy, Quebec; Corp. W. Toffree, Fort Steele, B. C.; Pte. S. W. Turner, Prince George, B. C.; Pte. Chas. Webb, New Westminster, B. C.; Pte. F. J. White, Detroit; Pte. J. Chalif, South Vancouver; Pte. P. Klassen, Jansen, Sask.; Pte. M. Laviolette, Van Creek Hill, Ont.; Pte. W. C. Mackenzie, 1114 Alston street, Victoria, B. C.; Pte. W. Moore, Regina; Pte. W. E. Taylor, Kaledon, B. C.; Pte. Fred Brown, Tilbury, Ont.; Pte. C. Burge, St. Paul, Minn.; Pte. A. Cook, Ormsby, Que.; Pte. G. E. Ferguson, Toronto; Corp. L. Galipeau, Grand Forks, B. C.; Pte. L. Goodwin, Bruno, Sask.; Lieut. H. F. Hill, Peterboro, Ont.; Sgt. Maj. E. W. Hopper, Harvey Station, N. B.; Pte. G. E. Jacks, Preston, B. C.; Pte. C. Johnstone, Unity, Sask.; Pte. A. Kivel, Cochrane, Ont.; Pte. N. Larock, Brinston, N. Y.; Pte. R. Lesser, Olsen Lake, B. C.; Pte. A. E. Dumontier, Calgary; Pte. Wm. Haldane, Toronto; Pte. E. H. Stephens, Stratford; Pte. C. Thomas, Duck Lake, Sask.; Sgt. H. Brown, Vancouver; Pte. R. Darro, Ottawa; Pte. G. W. Felix, Hull, Que.; Pte. T. Fraser, Ottawa; Pte. C. C. Gifford,

LIEUT.-GEN. MAHON TO COMMAND IN IRELAND

Succeeds Maj.-Gen. Maxwell;
Expected Martial Law Will
Be Withdrawn

London, Nov. 4.—According to the Yorkshire Herald, the government has decided to recall Major-General Sir John Maxwell from Ireland, where he is in command of the British forces, and he will be succeeded by Lieut.-Gen. Bryan Mahon, lately in command on the western frontier of Egypt.

Dublin, Nov. 4.—It has been known generally in Dublin for some time that Major-General Sir John Maxwell would be recalled and replaced by Lieut.-General Mahon. It is expected here that martial law will be withdrawn with the change in command, and a new effort for voluntary recruiting also is expected.

Major Price, chief intelligence officer at Irish military headquarters, it also is believed here, will retire.

It is reported that untried interned prisoners are to be released on signing an undertaking not to engage in seductive actions calculated to interfere with the successful carrying on of the war.

CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Nov. 4.—The following casualties have been announced:

Infantry.

Killed in action—Pte. N. Dunningham, Oakland, Cal.; Pte. Wm. Hurley, Toronto; Pte. Arthur Jeffries, Windsor, Ont.; Cpl. V. Lynch, Parry Sound, Ont.; Pte. Archibald Paterson, care Robert Johnson, Nanaimo, B. C.; Lieut. Arnold Stanford, 192 Sunny Lane, Shore Bay, Victoria, B. C.; Pte. A. Whytock, Reston, Man.

Died of wounds—Pte. Patrick Curtin, Lindsay, Ont.; Pte. Wm. Bolan, Eau Claire, Ont.; Pte. P. Boddington, Beamsdale, Ont.; Pte. J. Delaurier, Eastview, Ont.; Pte. David McLaren, Eastview Place, Ont.; Pte. Alex Smith, Lumby, B. C.; Pte. O. S. Smith, Quebec.

Missing—Pte. G. Graham, Hamilton; Pte. R. N. Harris, Regina; Pte. J. McKenzie, Picton, N. S.; Pte. Jas. Murtha, Downeyville, Ont.

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Speech-Making Efforts of Candidates for Presidency End To-day

New York, Nov. 4.—The candidates for the presidency and prominent campaign orators in general will make their last spoken appeals for votes to-day. Some time around midnight, when the last cheer has died away, the last red fire has burned out and the last parader has gone home, the national campaign will be virtually over.

Charles E. Hughes ended his political travels yesterday, but the last day of his campaign is one of the hardest. He made five speeches here this afternoon and will deliver his final address at a rally in Madison Square Garden, which will close the greatest Republican rally of the campaign in New York City.

At Long Branch President Wilson will make his last speech before an audience from his home state. Every Democratic county organization in New Jersey will send delegates to Shadow Lake.

Both candidates will spend the two days that intervene before election quietly, the president at Shadow Lake and Mr. Hughes at the hotel where he has made his New York headquarters since he left Washington. They will receive the returns at these places.

Frank Hanley, the Prohibition presidential candidate, will reach his home in Indianapolis to-night after a final day of speech-making through Indiana. Since Sept. 8 Mr. Hanley has traveled nearly 20,000 miles through 34 states. The Socialist candidate, Allen L. Benson, who has made campaign speeches in almost every part of the country, is to-day in Kansas City.

Hughes's Record.

Mr. Hughes, the Republican candidate, holds the record for campaign journeys. When he reached New York yesterday he had made four distinct trips, which since August have carried him through 33 states and a distance of about 28,000 miles. None of the president's journeys were as long as those of Mr. Hughes and most of them were made to some specific point, for the purpose of delivering one principal address.

President Wilson's campaign has had the assistance of his cabinet members and of Vice-president Marshall, while Mr. Hughes has enjoyed the unique distinction of having speeches made for him by two former occupants of the White House, William H. Taft and Theodore Roosevelt. Col. Roosevelt made his last speech last night.

The increase in the number of states where women may vote for president this year has given women a greater part in this campaign than ever before. The most extensive campaign trip ever undertaken by political workers in this country ended last night, when a special train brought back the women who had been traveling through the country to win votes for Mr. Hughes. They journeyed 11,700 miles and addressed 141 meetings in 28 states.

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ONTARIO BI-LINGUAL PROBLEM TO BE SETTLED

Ottawa, Nov. 4.—There is a possibility that a peaceful compromise will be reached in the near future between the leaders of the bi-lingual party in Ottawa and the department of education with regard to obedience by the separate schools to regulation 17. It was stated in influential circles to-day that now that the regulation has been sustained by the Privy Council, leading French-Canadians are in favor of giving the organization a trial with the ultimate idea of submitting to the Ontario government the results of such a trial to see whether it will act individually or otherwise toward the interests of the French-Canadian race in the education of their children.

Gen. Nivelle, the commander at Verdun, in announcing the death to Mme. Ancelin, alluded to the fact that her husband had prepared for the victory and capture of Dardanelles.

Gen. Ancelin was a brilliant officer, and had served as first assistant to three ministers of war, Bertrand, Etienne and Millerand, in the direction of the army administration. He was in charge of the reorganization of the French cavalry before the outbreak of the war.

THREE VILLISTAS PAID PENALTY OF DEATH

El Paso, Nov. 4.—Col. Rosario Garza, Villa commander from Sonora, and two of his men were executed in Juarez early to-day after being convicted by a military court on charges of treason. They were captured at Hacienda Santa Ana, near Namiquipa, and were brought to Juarez yesterday.

AUSTRIAN PAPERS ON AMERICAN ELECTION

No Influence on War, They Think; a Vienna Paper's Remarks

Vienna, Nov. 4.—The Austro-Hungarian press, which a week ago paid no attention to the American presidential campaign, has discussed the subject during the last few days as thoroughly as the fragmentary reports reaching Vienna will permit. Generally the papers express the opinion that the result of the presidential election will have no influence on the war.

The Vienna Allgemeine Zeitung, after expressing the belief that the result of the election is in doubt, says:

"The presidential election in itself is a matter for which the political life of Europe has no parallel. Questions in many cases more important than problems associated with the election of an executive chief in the United States are often decided in Europe by a vote in parliament. It is hard to imagine what the political atmosphere would be were it not for this storm which sweeps over the nation every four years. Just for this reason is the presidential election specifically American; that is to say, an internal affair in which questions of home politics give the decision. Recognition of this fact is needed to guard against the view that the result of the American election would bring about a great change in the course of American policy or would materially influence the public attitude in the United States toward the European war."

"Mr. Wilson should he remain at the wheel, would not let go the political plumb line he has held so far. Mr. Hughes, should he take Mr. Wilson's place, would not guide the policies of the country into new channels. American policies toward the central states (Germany and Austria-Hungary) during the coming months generally will remain what they have been, because motives underlying decisions of the American state department remain the same. A study of the country leads to the conclusion that Mr. Wilson's attitude differs in no particular respect from that of influential circles of American people, and that the course he has followed has been a consequence of that country's interior policy."

WIDER CREDIT FOR ALLIES IN STATES

Henry P. Davison Gave Some Advice to Bankers at Chicago

Chicago, Nov. 4.—Henry P. Davison, of J. P. Morgan & Company, New York, told bankers of Chicago and the middle west last night what he had learned of the credit situation in Europe on his recent trip there and its effect on financial affairs in this country. Mr. Davison and Charles H. Sabine, president of the Guaranty Trust Company, of New York, were guests of George M. Reynolds, president of the Continental & Commercial National Bank, at a dinner also attended by a score of the leading bankers of the middle west.

While the meeting was confidential it is known that one thing talked of was the necessity of a liberal policy of extending credit to the European countries buying American products. The suggestion of a greater use of acceptances in extension of credits also was discussed.

Earlier in the day Mr. Davison emphasized his faith in the solvency of Great Britain and France. He denied a published report that a demand would be made by the entente powers that Americans accept unsecured loans or face the demobilization of gold.

"After the war is over, Europe will buy where it can buy best," he said, not only in the matter of prices, but in the matter of credit. To do our share of the business, we must extend the credit."

ROBBERS SECURED \$7,000 AT OKOTOKS

Blew Safe of Branch of Merchants' Bank and Escaped

Calgary, Nov. 4.—Holding up at revolver points a member of the staff who slept on the premises and then gagging and binding him, two masked robbers blew the safe of the branch of the Merchants' Bank of Canada at Okotoks, 30 miles south of Calgary, at 2 o'clock this morning and escaped, presumably in a motor car, with cash amounting to something in the neighborhood of \$7,000.

Before committing the robbery the bandits cut the telegraph and telephone wires at each end of the town, and it was not until a messenger arrived here from Okotoks by motor car that the authorities were notified of the crime.

S. M. Genest, chairman of the separate school board, stated that he was of the opinion that the school trouble should now be brought to an end, and that he, the separate school board and the leaders of the bi-lingual movement were prepared to meet the Ontario government half way if a compromise could be arranged which would prove acceptable to both sides.

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SCOTT'S ESCAPE.

The circumstances attending the "escape" of John T. Scott call for inquiry and explanation. Why was he permitted to re-cross the international boundary line? The fact that he was out on bail certainly cannot excuse the laxity which made his disappearance possible. Are the authorities in the habit of presenting to men arrested and charged with serious offences such excellent opportunities for escaping trial? Knowing that Scott had made one attempt to leave Washington state for parts unknown, why did they close their eyes to his movements when he was liberated on bail in Vancouver? Where was the attorney-general, who was so anxious to have Scott arrested last spring that he authorized the issue of a warrant for his apprehension and published the fact on the front page of the Vancouver papers where Scott might see it or hear of it, although immunity was granted to every other witness before the inquiry? Was that warrant merely a subterfuge designed to keep Scott away? Certainly in view of the professed anxiety of the provincial authorities to have Scott placed in custody it is amazing that he should have been permitted to leave the jurisdiction of the courts of this province. The four Burns detectives who were with him, of course, have nothing to do with the situation. They have no official standing either in Canada or in the United States, for that matter. Scott is supposed to have made a statement upon his arrest in Vancouver. Whatever that statement may be it is impossible to avoid the conclusion that his escape was facilitated to prevent him telling his story under examination on the witness stand, of being subjected to cross-questioning on the statement itself. Was the statement the purchase price of his escape? If it was, it is not worth the paper it is written on. Who is financing Scott? Why did the crowd let the bird escape? It will be the duty of the new government to ferret out this mystery at the earliest opportunity just as soon as the present administration makes way. The administration of justice in the province must be tainted indeed when such a disgraceful episode as the "escape" of Scott is permitted.

SHIPPING LOSSES.

According to figures compiled by the New York Journal of Commerce 1,320 ships of an aggregate tonnage of 8,228,884 have been sunk during the twenty-seven months of war. Seventy-five per cent. of this loss has been suffered by the entente nations, eighteen per cent. by neutrals and seven per cent. by the Teutonic allies. The small proportion of enemy-ships lost is due to the fact, of course, that after the first few weeks their commerce was swept from the seas with the exception of the Baltic, and even there British and Russian submarines made their activities very hazardous.

Germany's actual proportion of loss, however, is much higher than seven per cent. Large numbers of her ships were seized in British, French and Russian ports when the conflict broke out. Subsequently the intervention of Italy and Portugal involved the confiscation of many more. Those vessels

are being used by the allies and Germany is sinking them whenever she can along with the rest. If the powers now neutral should intervene in the struggle Germany will have an opportunity to sink some more of her boats. The cream of her trans-Atlantic marine is now interned in American ports. The feelings of the German submarine commander who aimed a torpedo at the Imperator, for instance, easily could be imagined.

Notwithstanding the fact that the allies have lost some thirteen hundred vessels, representing 2,500,000 tons, according to the New York Journal of Commerce, their combined shipping, counting the enemy merchantmen seized by them and their new construction, is considerably greater than it was when the war began. Last month more than five hundred ships of various kinds were under construction in British yards, and it is not improbable that Great Britain alone has launched more ships than the net loss of all the entente powers together since August 1, 1914. She certainly has built more than she herself has lost, and is well able to maintain the lead. France's mercantile marine is larger to-day than it was when the war began, while that of Russia unquestionably is the same. No doubt Italy is in a similar position. The stress of war has stimulated shipbuilding in the entente countries as nothing else has stimulated it in many years, for the obvious reason that their shipping is a vital arm of their naval and military services and must be kept up at all costs.

THEIR "DRIVES."

Press dispatches from New York refer to the "big drives" the two sides are making in the closing days of the campaign. The Republicans say they have checked the "drift" to Wilson, while the Democrats have stopped the "slump" in the direction of Hughes.

Large sums are being expended in these strategic operations, stumpers are shouting themselves speechless, and the various organizations are sending up fireworks in great quantities. About nine-tenths of all this eleventh-hour activity is wasted energy. The vast majority of the nation's electorate had its mind made up before the "drives" began. The efforts of the party leaders discount themselves. The more violent they become the more amused and uninfluenced the average elector is. He reads the reports of the speeches perfunctorily, if at all, more for the sake of entertainment than anything else, and then concentrates his interest upon the news that one of his neighbors has been arrested for keeping a noisy rooster or has fallen heir to a small fortune. His wife, also a voter in some of the states, glances at the headlines of the political reports and then becomes intensely interested in the announcement that one of her acquaintances is going to spend the winter at Long Beach, California.

The campaigners of both sides are winding up the battle in New York state, held to be the key to victory. New York has forty-five electoral votes, that is, it sends that number to Washington to record the will of the majority in the actual voting for president. These electoral voters exist for this function only and their number is indicated by the number of representatives each state has in the Senate and House of Representatives. Under that system British Columbia would have ten electoral voters, as it has seven members of the House of Commons and three senators. Pennsylvania comes second with thirty-eight, Illinois third, Ohio fourth and Indiana fifth. It is quite possible for a candidate to be elected president with New York against him, but it is not likely, for New York exercises considerable influence upon the neighboring states. Both Republicans and Democrats claim New York, the former with stronger reason and the latter largely as a matter of form. Pennsylvania is conceded to go for Hughes. On the other hand, Indiana, Illinois and Ohio are giving the managers of both parties sleepless nights. There is a big German vote in Illinois and Ohio, while in the former state some 600,000 women will cast their ballots for the first time.

It is reported to-day that Mr. Bowser intends to remain in office according to his own sweet will, regardless of the wishes of the electors. That puts the matter up to the Lieutenant-Governor. An exceedingly serious situation is developing through the contumacy of the man upon whom the people of the province have served notice to quit.

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INQUIRIES FROM HOLLAND TO GERMAN GOVERNMENT

London, Nov. 4.—The Reuter correspondent at The Hague says an official inquiry will be made regarding the Dutch steamship Oidam, captured by a German submarine on Wednesday and later recaptured by a British destroyer, but afterwards capsized at the Hook of Holland, probably as a result of the bomb exploded by the German prize crew.

The correspondent says an inquiry also will be made concerning other vessels, the steamships Randwyk, Brinwyk and Nordwyk, held up by the Germans. The Randwyk was released immediately, but the other two were taken into Zeebrugge and subsequently released.

SHRAPNEL KILLED FILIPINOS.

Manila, Nov. 4.—Two Filipino workmen were killed to-day by an explosion of shrapnel at Fort Santiago. The ordnance depot board is making an investigation.

Ottawa retail grocers have demanded that the Dominion government take action against the combines which have taken advantage of war conditions to hoist prices beyond all reason. The Ottawa Citizen and the Toronto World, newspapers which give the Borden government independent support, endorse the suggestion. The World says: "The Dominion government should either grapple with the illegal forces that combine to make prices of food products extortions or frankly declare that it cannot or will do anything to redress the grievances of the people. Referring the subject back to the municipalities is simply grotesque. How on earth can municipalities put a stop to the gambling in wheat futures, break up unlawful combinations in restraint of trade, investigate and regulate cold storage warehouses, and fix the prices of food commodities crude and finished, and the rates to be charged for their storage and transportation?"

The Toronto Telegram is still at its favorite recreation of reflecting upon the loyalty of the western provinces. In view of the fact that the recruiting returns show that the percentage of enlistment west of the Great Lakes is about twice that of the province in which the Telegram is published, the only conclusion that can be drawn is that our contemporary's editor is qualifying for the straight-jacket. If Canada east of the Great Lakes had done as well as the Canadian west the Dominion would have had its half-million recruitment long ago. On the ratio of British Columbia or Alberta, Ontario alone should have enlisted nearly 300,000 men.

Captain Koenig, the bland commander of the Deutschland who has been given the glad hand by certain Americans, says he would not be surprised if a submarine flying the skull and crossbones were to arrive for the purpose of shooting him across the Atlantic. Nor, we surmise, would der captain be shocked if his escort were to do some other business on the side while not engaged in the duty to which it was officially assigned. It even may be that Captain Koenig has made arrangements with an American fleet to be on hand to play its part in the enterprise.

At the Liberal meeting the other evening John Oliver said he would be glad to see Mr. Bowser have a seat in the House. This is heaping coals of fire on the Bowserian dome. A few years ago when Sir Richard McBride expressed a desire to open a seat for Mr. Oliver the most strenuous opposition was offered by Mr. Bowser. The latter, for reasons then best known to himself but now well known to everybody, did not want to see the sturdy tribunals from Delta in the legislature. Somehow we feel that Mr. Bowser is going to have an interesting time next session.

The Volks Zeitung says the word has gone forth from the Hun higher command that Russia must be treated more gently with a view to an understanding later on. They will be extending a conciliatory hand to Britain one of these days. But the joke is that none of the Huns seems to understand that the game is plain to all the allies.

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The question of financial assistance to the ratepayers in meeting the heavy obligations which arise under present economic conditions has been engaging the city aldermen in various ways for some time and, as already reported, a special committee has been sitting this week in regard to the matter of local improvement obligations.

A former citizen of Victoria, Arthur Lincham, of the Vancouver News-Advertiser, has sent to the city clerk copies of Alderman Kirk's financial scheme, which has been thoroughly discussed in the Vancouver council. The letter will be read in council here on Monday.

This scheme is to borrow the sum of \$5,000,000 in a series of money bonds, one million at a time, spread over the next five years. At the end of 1921, the taxes having been meanwhile reduced from five to six mill per year, the rate would automatically go up, but the aggregate collected from the ratepayers would be constant, for by that time most of the local improvement charges would have been met, so that the ratepayers could stand an increase in the general rate. Gradually, after two years the rate would decrease, and the liability be extinguished 25 years hence.

Mr. Lincham points out that any scheme which would enable people to retain their property under present difficulties must be worthy of consideration, and hopes Alderman Kirk's idea would have the attention of the aldermen to it.

Vancouver already exercises a privilege of borrowing against arrears of unpaid taxes, and although the same power has now been given to municipalities under the Municipal Act, the scheme has not been exercised yet. Hence the alternative proposal outlined above. Doubtless the correspondence will be referred to the finance committee for attention.

At this meeting Alderman Todd's motion to throw open the meetings of the special committee on the tax situation to the public will also come up for consideration.

HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS

Board Will Be Recommended to Receive Oak Bay Children Until Christmas.

It is understood that until the Christmas vacation, if the matter of the attendance of Oak Bay students at the city High school is not settled in the courts before then, the children whose eviction from school gave rise to litigation will not be interfered with.

A recommendation to that effect, it is stated, will be made to the school board—or, rather, to the board of governors of the Victoria college—at its next meeting by Chairman Jay and Dr. E. B. Paul, municipal inspector of schools.

A virtual engagement was given to the courts by counsel for the board, on the instruction of the chairman, when the status of the children came up for discussion. It was pointed out, and it was mentioned by the court, that it would be a very awkward thing to break in on the work of the session, by sending children away and forcing

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OCTOBER REPORT OF PATRIOTIC FUND

Subscriptions From Province
During Month Total
\$51,910.03

The following is the October report of the Canadian Patriotic Fund, British Columbia provincial branch, showing contributions received amounting to \$51,910.03—\$40,771.61 from provincial points, and \$11,138.42 from Victoria city. Contributions received from the following points are appended after the names: Agassiz, \$440; Armstrong, \$260; Atlin, \$834; Alberni, \$27.25; Abbotsford, \$250; Alexia Creek, \$88; Alert Bay, \$40.25; Anyox, \$2,200; Bella Coola, \$17.60; Bonnington Falls, \$9; Chase, \$250; Clinton, \$146.95; Cranbrook, \$1.211; Creston, \$100; Chilliwack, \$425; Enderby, \$150; Fadview, \$13.31; Feimie, \$2,214.15; Fort Steele, \$25; Fraser Mills, \$400; Field, \$24.50; Golden, \$400; Greenwood, \$917.46; Hazelton, \$500; Hope, \$36.55; Kaslo, \$1,004.66; Kelowna, \$222.85; Kamloops, \$1,000; Ladysmith Collieries, \$540; Ladysmith, \$86.75; Langley, \$499.50; Ladner, \$500; Lytton, \$253.50; 150-Mile House, \$391.25; Mission City, \$100; Maple Ridge, \$27.10; Nanaimo, \$1,500; Nelson, \$1,000; Nicola Valley, \$500; New Denver, \$94.89; New Westminster, \$6,358.29; Port Coquitlam, \$100; Penticton, \$477.94; Princeton, \$1,052.33; Phoenix, \$1,600; Powell River, \$434.55; Quesnel, \$218.30; Revelstoke, \$500; Rossland, \$3,147.40; Rock Creek, \$10; Salmon, \$200; Salmon Arm, \$21.75; Silverton, \$2,402.66; Sorrento, \$17.50; Summerland, \$167.16; Strathcona Park road employees, \$9.50; Slocan City, \$35.70; Trail Smelter, \$5,000; Trail, \$566.53; Vernon, \$839.68; Victoria, \$11,138.42; Waneta, \$37.50; Windermere District, \$100; Westbridge, \$18.50; West Kootenay (Police District), \$24; Yale, \$18. Total, \$51,910.03.

"The disbursements for the month of September amounted to \$132,364.32, provincial points, including Victoria city, being \$62,607.57, and Vancouver city, \$69,756.75," states the report. "There were 6,284 families with 16,421 individuals. Twenty-four points throughout the province were visited by Sir Herbert Ames and the secretary of the provincial branch during the month of October, and the result of the public meetings and conferences with various committees have been most gratifying. Every point visited promised considerably increased contributions for the next 12 months. The greatest satisfaction was expressed at every point in having the privilege of hearing Sir Herbert Ames explain in detail the policy, fundamental principles and the administration of this fund, and we feel encouraged to believe that the \$1,000,000 asked from British Columbia will be forthcoming. The balance of the estimated requirements of upwards of \$2,000,000 will be supplied from the central fund at Ottawa."

AT THE THEATRES

ROYAL VICTORIA

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Barry and Wolford, a pair of entertainers of reputation, will offer a singing novelty number that is always sure to appeal to most people; they are the originators of their own songs and render them in a way peculiarly their own.

Santucci, the musical marvel, has been termed the wizard of the accordion and justly so, for he can play that instrument as no one else can.

A big added feature will be the appearance of Shepp's Comedy Circus, a wonderfully trained troupe of dogs, ponies, monkeys and cats. This act is said to be full of interest and pleasure for young and old alike. It will be one of the big hits of the bill.

Howard and Fields and their Dining Car Minstrels will present a novel singing and comedy patter offering that is sure to win the approval of the most blasé of theatre-goers.

Frear, Gaggett and Frear, a trio of young men, will present "Baseball Idiomatics" which is said to be full of funny situations.

One of the best of the series of Chaplin comedies will be shown on this bill. It is entitled "Police."

Beginning with November 20, one of the most thrilling photo-serial that has ever been produced will be shown at this theatre. It is called "The Shielding Shadow," by the producers of "Iron Claw," and is said to exceed even that popular serial in compelling interest.

Every seat in the car was occupied when a group of women got in. Going through the car to collect fares, the conductor noticed a man who he thought was asleep. "Wake up," shouted the conductor. "I wasn't asleep," said the conductor. "Not asleep," snapped the conductor. "Then when did you have your eyes closed for?" "It was because of the crowded condition of the car," explained the passenger. "I hate to see women standing." Exchange.

"I suppose you are saving up for a rainy day." "No," replied Farmer Cornetossel. "Out this way we pray for rain. I'm saving up for a drought." —Washington Star.

Box or Loge Seats.....\$1.00
Stalls and Dress Circle.....75
Children Under 12.....50
Balcony.....50
Children Under 12.....25
Gallery.....25

Highest.....45
Lowest.....44
Average.....46
Minimum on grass.....25
Rain, 20 inches.....General state of weather, showery.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

All personal items sent by mail for publication must be signed with the name and address of the sender.

A. J. Dewar, of Fairbanks, Alaska, is at the Dominion.

Mrs. French, of Sooke, is at the Strathcona hotel.

G. M. Fear, of Banff, Alta., is a guest at the Dominion hotel.

H. Hewitt, East Sooke, is registered at the Strathcona hotel.

Parker Williams, M.P.P. of Lady-smith, is at the Dominion.

A. L. Wilson and family, of Sidney, are at the Dominion hotel.

G. F. Harvey, of Courtenay, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

Mrs. Allington, of Duncan, is registered at the Strathcona hotel.

W. G. Radford and Mrs. Radford, of Dawson, are at the Dominion.

James Watts, of Toronto, registered at the Empress hotel yesterday.

Dr. L. T. Seavey, of Port Townsend, is a guest at the Dominion hotel.

E. D. Sheringham, of Mill Bay, has arrived at the Hotel Strathcona.

Miss C. F. MacKenzie, of Westholme, has arrived at the Strathcona hotel.

A. S. Bruce, of Niagara Falls, registered at the Empress hotel yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Leitch, of Ashcroft, are guests at the Empress hotel.

Miss K. Ashton, of Salt Spring Island, is staying at the Strathcona hotel.

H. W. May and Mrs. May, of Cowichan, are staying at the Hotel Strathcona.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Murray, of Armstrong, have arrived at the Empress hotel.

A. W. Arnew, of Salt Spring Island, is a late arrival at the Strathcona hotel.

R. B. McClelland and Wm. Aitken, of San Francisco, are staying at the Dominion.

W. Biggs and family came down from Nanaimo yesterday and are staying at the Dominion.

C. Garrick and G. A. St. George, of London, England, are staying at the Dominion hotel.

R. B. Prendergast is down from Sandwick, B. C., and is staying at the Dominion hotel.

Sir Clive Phillips-Wolley is down from Somerton and is staying at the Strathcona hotel.

Mrs. Doris McNab, of Vancouver, is on a visit to the city and staying at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Howe, 1142 North Park street.

Vancouver arrivals at the Dominion include C. R. Smith, F. W. Pratt, F. C. Stewart, James Redpath, B. A. McDonald, Robert King, M. Scott and F. Quinn.

Miss F. A. McNab, of Ottawa, after spending the summer months visiting Victoria, Vancouver and other coast cities, has left for home. She will visit friends in Saskatoon for a short time.

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December 25, 26, 27

All the profits from the production will be equally divided between the Canadian and French Red Cross Societies.

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FIFTEEN SOLDIERS BACK FROM OVERSEAS

Veterans of Fighting in France
Returned Yesterday
Afternoon

There were fifteen returned soldiers on the boat which came in from Vancouver yesterday afternoon. The men, who are suffering with wounds or disabilities of other sorts, were conveyed immediately to the Military Convalescent hospital, Esquimalt, where they will receive treatment until such time as they are able to go to their homes. Motor cars were lent by Miss Johnson, Chie Langley, E. Todd, E. Shaw and M. W. Graham to drive the veterans from the wharf to Esquimalt, and the men were cheered by members of the Returned Soldiers' Association and the Welcome Club as they came off the boat.

There are two Victoria men in the party: Cpl. J. Coulling, who left here with No. 2 Tunneling Company of the Canadian Engineers and who is suffering with shock; and Sgt. William J. Land, who went from here as a member of the 88th Battalion, having had to return from England owing to illness without seeing active service in the firing line. The former has relatives living at 1064 Blanchard street, and the latter's home is at 2605 Shelbourne street.

The other men are as follows:

Pte. Appleford, of the 2nd C. M. R., who is suffering from shell shock. Pte. Appleford is married and his home is in Vancouver.

Pte. Bishop, of Lillooet, was a member of the 7th Battalion, and is suffering from a gunshot wound in the leg.

Pte. Gordon Brewster, of Fernie, who went to the front early in 1915 as a member of Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry. Pte. Brewster's mother lives in England. He is suffering with a gunshot wound in the heel.

Pte. Henry James Johnson, 7th Battalion, is suffering with a shrapnel wound in the head. His father is now with the Canadian forces in France.

Pte. James Madsen, Vancouver, left here with the 2nd C. M. R. His mother lives in England. He was wounded in the knee by shrapnel.

Pte. John Maher, of McBride, B. C., went with the 1st Canadian Pioneers, contracted rheumatism in England, and was unable to cross to France. His relatives live in Ireland.

Pte. William Menzies, for some time attached to the 17th Reserve Battalion, is suffering with gunshot wounds in the face. He came from Australia to enlist.

Pte. Mike Mulligan, of the 1st Tunneling Company, Canadian Engineers, has miscellaneous injuries sustained during service in Belgium. Pte. Mulligan is married, and his wife lives in Fernie. His immediate relatives live in Scotland.

Pte. Percy Neave, 62nd Battalion, was forced to return without seeing active service, owing to deafness. He formerly lived at Kamloops. Mrs. Hall, of London, England, is his next of kin.

Lance-Corp. William Redford, 7th



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TWO VICTORIANS KILLED IN ACTION

Lieut. Stanford and Pte. Dingsdale Make Supreme Sacrifice; Sgt. McGary Missing

Lieut. Arnold George Stanford, who is reported killed in action, left here with the 30th Battalion under Lieut-Col. John Hall. He was a sergeant when he first went to France and was given his commission a few months before his death. He was 33 years of age.

Pte. D. A. Ross, 7th Battalion, was living in Vancouver when he enlisted. He is suffering from wounds received while fighting in France. His mother lives in Nova Scotia.

Pte. Frank Smiley, 29th Battalion, is suffering from gunshot wound in the knee. He is unmarried, enlisted from Vancouver where he was living when war broke out. His next of kin is his father, who lives in England.

Pte. Thomas Southern, Canadian Engineers, is deprived of the use of his hand owing to shrapnel wound. He enlisted at Nanaimo.

FLYING MAN GIVES LIFE IN SERVICE

Lieut. F. Echlin, Formerly of British Columbia Radio Staff, Lost in September

News has been received here of the death of Lieut. Frederic Echlin, formerly of the British Columbia Radio staff, who joined the flying corps during the summer, received his pilot's certificate on September 5 and lost his life on September 16 while piloting an aeroplane during a raid made on that day.

The late Lieut. Echlin obtained the postmaster-general's radio telegraph certificate of proficiency in 1911, and was employed first on the R.M.S. Boston.

In 1912 he entered the Canadian Radio Service, and was for a short period under the late Captain Whitehouse, of Gonzales Hill, later being stationed at Cape Lazo, then at Digby Island. He was well known to men in the service in British Columbia.

At the outbreak of the war Lieut. Echlin went to England and joined the flying corps. He only received his pilot's certificate on September 5. Eleven days later he was sent on the raid mentioned above, and on September 26 was posted as "lost." He was married, and his wife is now in England.

Out of six from the British Columbia Radio staff who joined the colors four have given their lives in the service. Captain Whiteside, of Gonzales Hill; Pte. Earle, from Estevan Station; Pte. Farthing, from Point Grey; and Lieut. Echlin. Lieut. R. F. Arnold, D. S. O., flying corps, and Pte. C. Barber, of the Engineers, remain uninjured.

OFFICERS WANTED

Foresters Asking for Suitable Men to Take Technical Commissions.

Not many battalions have to advertise for men to take commissions, but one unit which finds it difficult to secure men to take positions of command is the 230th Foresters. Men are wanted to take what are known as technical commissions. The applicants do not have to take the regular training which is required of officers in other units, but they must be qualified. What are needed are mill superintendents or their assistants, or men who have held positions of trust in construction work and who would be capable of undertaking similar work for the allied armies. Such men will be given commissions without taking the regular training.

Sgt. Nylands, who has charge of recruiting here for the 230th, reports that they are getting three or four men a day, all fine fellows just suited for their purposes. They are open to receive mechanics of any kind and especially men who have been used to the woods.

William Gibson, son of Mrs. Wiffens, of Marigold, has gone to Calgary to join the Army Dental Corps. He has been on the laboratory staff of Dr. Lewis Hall, and is the fourth dental man to leave Dr. Hall's office for military dental service.

Capt. D. F. Scott, son of W. E. Scott, deputy minister of agriculture, has gone to Fairfield Hall, Yorkshire, for a month's sick leave in order to recuperate after an attack of influenza and trench fever. Prior to his illness he had been slightly wounded with shrapnel, but was able to continue his duties.

Patriotic Aid Society.—The following are among the recent subscriptions received by the Victoria Patriotic Aid Society: Employees Victoria-Phoenix Brewing Co., Ltd., \$74.50; employees H. C. Land & Investment Agency, \$22.75; Friend in Seattle, \$10; employees Esquimalt Waterworks, \$20.50; Yarrows, Limited, and employees, \$204.30; anonymous, \$5; staff Meteorological Observatory, Dominion government, \$4.52; B. C. Dredging fleet (Coast division) war fund: Dredge Ajax and Point Ellice, \$28.50; dredge Mudlark and Pt. Hope, \$25; dredge Victoria, \$7; Lognfiz Rock Breaker, No. 1, \$41; Drilling Plant, \$58; total \$159.50; staff B. C. Electric Railway Company, \$53; officers and crew C. G. S. Galliano, \$38.65; staff and employees Brackman Ker Milling Co., \$65.85; Messrs. Dist. H. Ross employees, \$24.40; employees Pacific Club, \$20; employees K. G. Prior & Co., \$24; his worship the mayor and city hall employees, \$34.50.



SERGT. W. P. McGARY

and came to this city from England seven years ago, being employed as a surveyor by John B. Green. In April, 1914, he joined the Gordon Highlanders and transferred to the overseas service soon after war broke out. His widow and one child reside at 195 Sunny Lane, Oak Bay.

Pte. Joe Dingsdale, who is among the

list of those killed in action, left here two years ago with a draft from the Royal Canadian Regiment. He is a brother of Mrs. T. Stewart, of Shakespeare street, whose husband is with No. 2 Tunnelling Co., Canadian Engineers. A brother of Pte. Dingsdale returned from the war recently and is now at Vancouver.

Mrs. James McGary, 780 Hill street, this morning received a telegram stating that her son, Sgt. William Paul McGary, is reported wounded and missing. Sgt. McGary, who is 24 years of age, left here with the 30th Battalion on February 1, 1916, and after training at Shorncliffe was later transferred to the 16th Battalion, Canadian Scottish. At that time he was a private, but by consistent hard work was given the rank of lance-corporal and later was advanced to senior sergeant of the 3rd Brigade machine gun section. He was wounded in forearm and thigh on June 14. After being at the Winnepeg hospital for a month he returned to his brigade and had spent altogether 37 months in the trenches. He was a prominent member of the K. of P. and Brotherhood of Railroad and Trainmen. At the time of his enlistment he was employed on the E. & N. railroad.

Sgt. Wm. H. Whittingham, reported wounded, left here with the 67th Battalion. He lived in Victoria for about five years before enlisting and was employed by the Standard Steam Laundry. He is married and his wife is in the Old Country. A brother is engaged at the Manitoba news stand, Yates street.

TRENCH FIGHTING

Sergt.-Major Ryder Will Give Course of Instruction at Beacon Hill Park.

Sergt.-Major J. Ryder who, during the summer, has been at Vernon giving practical instruction in grenade and trench fighting to the officers and men of the 158th, 172nd and 225th Battalions, is leaving Vancouver this week-end for this city where, at Beacon Hill park, he will conduct a similar course of instruction for the officers and men of the 143rd Battalion. Sergt.-Major Ryder gained his practical knowledge in active service in France and later became chief instructor at the Canadian Bombing School at Shorncliffe. Later he will come to Vancouver and give a course of instruction to the 231st Battalion at Hastings park.

ANNOUNCEMENTS IN DISTRICT ORDERS

Colors for Overseas Units Must Be Approved by Militia Headquarters

District orders for the week issued from Work Point gave a number of regulations and transfers.

It is notified for the information of all concerned that when submitting Militia Form B 287 for the appointment of probationers' course full particulars of certificates acquired should be given in columns 8 and 9 of the Militia Form R 287 in question. The giving of this information will facilitate the gazetting of appointments in The Canada Gazette and often obviate errors in gazetting such gentlemen as provisional lieutenants.

It is notified for general information and compliance that on no account are Indians to be enlisted without obtaining the consent of the chiefs of tribes to which the men belong. The consent of parents must also be obtained in the case of minors who wish to enlist.

Lieut. J. F. Christie, 11th Regiment, is granted leave of absence for four weeks, with effect from November 1, 1916.

Lieut. (temporary Capt.) H. H. D. Hemmel, 88th Regiment, Victoria Fusiliers (attached R. C. R.), is detailed for duty as orderly officer at Work Point Barracks from October 30, 1916, during the absence of Capt. A. C. Tweedie, 66th Regiment (attached R. C. R.).

It is notified for the information of all concerned that authority will not be granted for the presentation of colors to C. E. F. units until the design and a description of the colors in question have been forwarded to militia headquarters for approval.

District Order No. 597 of October 20, 1916, is amended as follows: Sgt. J. A. Little, 162nd Regiment, is attached to No. 6 Station H. C. R., for rations and discipline while employed on instrumental duty at the Royal School of In-



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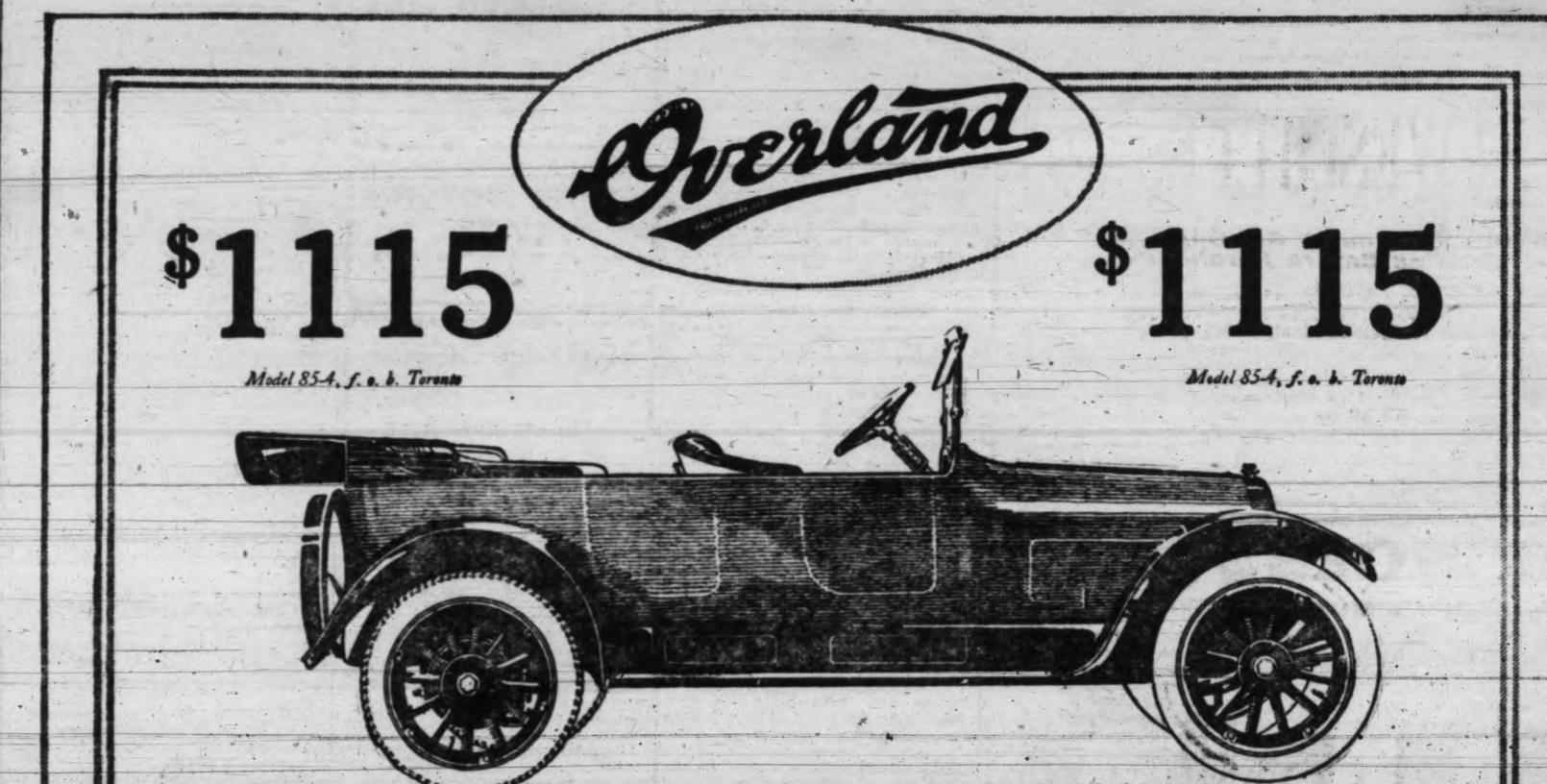
NOTICE TO PETIT JURORS

All petit jurors at the present Assize, other than those impaneled on the Gosden case, are excused from attendance until Wednesday next, November 8, at 11 o'clock a.m.

F. G. RICHARDS,
Sheriff,

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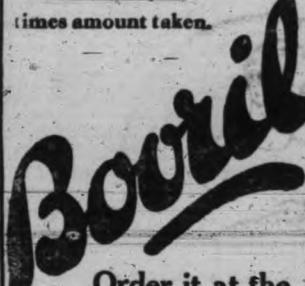
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ACTION BY RADIO STATIONS SAVED LIFE

Five Men and a Woman Rescued From Barge by G. T. P. Steamer Prince John

DONALD D. WAS ADRIFT IN CHARLOTTE SOUND

Tug Dola, Which Battled Bravely With Storm, Forced to Run for Bunkers

The action of the naval radio stations was responsible for the saving of five seamen and a woman from the barge Donald D., now adrift or ashore in northern waters following a battle with heavy weather in Queen Charlotte Sound. The steamship Prince John, Captain A. M. Davies, gets the credit for bringing the men and the woman off the barge and taking them into Prince Rupert, and the efficiency of the naval stations is happily responsible for the action of the steamship.

The Donald D., in ballast from Anyox, was in tow of the tug Dola and was southbound. A big westerly sea prevailed in Queen Charlotte Sound, and on top of this case a southeast to easterly swell. The Dola, Captain Verge, battled gallantly with the storm and had nearly won across the Sound when the towline parted. Every effort was made to get other lines aboard the barge, but they did not hold. The Dola was running short of coal owing to the lengthy passage across the Sound, and had to abandon the hull and make for Alert Bay, from which point Captain Verge telephoned his owners. They immediately took up the matter with Captain Robertson, agent of the department of marine and fisheries here, and he promptly passed on the case to the naval radio superintendent. The alarm was shot out through the atmosphere, and yesterday afternoon came the reassuring message that the G.T.P. steamship Prince John had received the call, diverted her course off Egg Island and had ranged alongside the Donald D., which had drifted some 30 miles, removing the five men and the woman, who were landed at Prince Rupert.

The Dola went to Alert Bay and coaled and then went after the barge. She has not reported as yet.

The John altered her course off Egg Island, taking the outside passage from Queen Charlotte Sound to Milbank Sound with a view to picking up the Donald D. The Prince John sighted the barge about 20 miles west of Cape Calvert tossing badly in a heavy westerly swell. A strong southeast wind was blowing and the abandoned vessel appeared to be in a bad plight.

For some time the Prince John stood by, and at 3:30 p.m. yesterday succeeded in getting a hawser aboard the barge, but such tremendous seas were running that the vessel broke away again. Capt. Davies manfully stayed by the helpless barge with its human freight aboard, and at 5:15 p.m. succeeded in rescuing the five men and one woman composing the crew of the barge. The woman, it is presumed, was the wife of one of the men serving on the Donald D.

The gallant rescue by the Prince John was effected three miles off Fitzroy Reef, and after all had been taken aboard the barge was abandoned. The Prince John then proceeded on to Prince Rupert via Kitimat.

ADELAIDE FOR OVERHAUL:

The steamer Princess Adelaide will be taken off the gruff run for a day or two next week to be hauled out for cleaning and painting.

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W. C. T. U. "TAG DAY"

Collections Totalling \$193 Taken Yesterday; Rain Interfered With Work.

W. C. T. U. "Tag Day" results were seriously handicapped by the bad weather, which prevented the taggers from keeping constantly "on the beat." Quite a number of ladies turned up at headquarters, the New Method Laundry, Douglas street, early yesterday morning, however, and it was only the drenching rains which prevented them from having better results than they did. Shoppers and pedestrians were naturally fewer than would have been the case on a bright day, but in spite of this four or five of the ladies succeeded in collecting quite a neat sum, and the total from all the boxes amounted to \$193 at the end of the day.

Among the ladies who assisted were Mrs. Wm. Grant, Mrs. H. H. Jones, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Shepherd, Mrs. Davison, Mrs. Hart, Mrs. Jolliffe and the Misses Moore, Paterson, Lothian, Ellers, McEwan, Croft, Dill, Wright, Dyson, and Rogers.

The proceeds are for the general W. C. T. U. fund.

An octogenarian who is in frail health and somewhat deaf was in bed when a bomb burst not far from his house. A son approached him, finding him wide awake, feared he would be unduly alarmed, and asked: "Did you hear a noise?" The old man looked up with wide eyes. "I should think I did," he exclaimed, with irritation. "What a time of night to be taking in coal!"

=TIMES SHIPPING CHART=

DEEP SEA ARRIVALS

Steamer	Master	Tonnage	Agents	From	Due
Mexico Maru	Yamaguchi	3,799	R. P. Rithet	Yokohama	Nov. 5
Shidzuoka Maru	Noma	4,072	Gt. Northern	Hongkong	Nov. 10
Inaba Maru	Higo	3,844	Gt. Northern	Kobe	Nov. 12
Yukawa Maru	J. Iwai	5,200	R. P. Rithet	Hongkong	Nov. 12
Izun	Black	5,238	Dodd & Co.	Hongkong	Nov. 14
Maruwa	Phillipe	4,921	C. F. R.	Sydney	Nov. 16
Empress of Russia	Robinson	5,738	C. P. R.	Hongkong	Nov. 18

DEEP SEA DEPARTURES

Steamer	Master	Tonnage	Agents	To	Due
Protosaurus	Braithwaite	6,118	Dodwell & Co.	Hongkong	Nov. 19
India	Black	6,525	Dodwell & Co.	Hongkong	Dec. 6

COASTWISE SERVICES

For Vancouver	For Prince Rupert	For Comox
Steamer Princess Victoria leaves daily at 3 p.m., and Steamer Princess Mary or Royal daily at 11:45 p.m.	Steamer Prince George Mondays, 10 a.m.	
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From Vancouver

Steamer Princess Charlotte arrives daily at 2:30 p.m., and Steamer Princess Mary or Royal at 6:30 a.m.

For San Francisco

Steamer President Nov. 3.

From San Francisco

Steamer Governor, Nov. 6.

For Seattle

Steamer Princess Victoria arrives daily at 1 p.m.

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It seems to neutralize the uric acid and lime salt deposits in the blood, driving all the poisonous clogging waste from the system. Soreness, pain, stiffness, swelling just seem to melt away and vanish.

The treatment first introduced by Mr. Delano is so good that its owner wants everybody who suffers from rheumatism or who has been so afflicted to get a free 50¢ package from him to prove just what it will do in every case before a penny is spent. Mr. Delano says: "To prove that the Delano treatment will positively overcome rheumatism, no matter how long it may have been along.

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52 Laurel St., 6 rooms.....	\$30
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1006 Fairfield Rd., 6 rooms.....	\$15
York Place, Oak Bay.....	\$10
Beach Drive, 10 rooms.....	\$15
1652 Wilmet Place, 9 rooms.....	\$50
610 Burleith Lodge, 7 rooms.....	\$37.50
Mrs. Douglas Apts. to let. Apply Suite.....	\$15
1324 Burleith Drive, 7 rooms.....	\$20
1286 Pandora Ave., 7 rooms.....	\$20
139 Hollywood Crescent, 6 rooms.....	\$20
UNFURNISHED	
2549 Victor St., 5 rooms.....	\$8
1218 Quadra St., 5 rooms.....	\$8
1188 S. Hampshire Rd., 7 rooms.....	\$12
2310 Dunlevy St., 2 rooms.....	\$7
2541 Fairmount Rd., 6 rooms.....	\$9
114 Ontario St., 6 rooms.....	\$12
378 Cook St., 9 rooms.....	\$20
1262 Beach Drive, 7 rooms.....	\$12
"Rockhaven," Beach Drive, 9 rooms.....	\$17
1006 Beach Drive, 7 rooms.....	\$17
195 Gloucester St., 9 rooms.....	\$20
Douglas St., 7 rooms.....	\$15
521 Government St., 7 rooms.....	\$15
1162 Laurel St., 4 rooms.....	\$18
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2042 Broad St., 5 rooms.....	\$13
782 Cave St., 2 rooms.....	\$8
Newport Ave., 12 rooms.....	\$35
160 Joseph St., 9 rooms.....	\$20
1717 Fairmount St., 10 rooms.....	\$25
324 Hillside Ave., 8 rooms.....	\$15
Spring Rd., opp. Geo. Jay School, 8 rooms.....	\$20
1116 North Pender St., 6 rooms.....	\$7
210 Cross St., 6 rooms.....	\$7
2524 Work St., 4 rooms.....	\$10
2526 Work St., 5 rooms.....	\$8

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Brown Block, offices, Broad St.	\$20
261 Cook, store and dwelling.....	\$20
365 Victoria St., store.....	\$20
374 Yates St., small store.....	\$20
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SCOTTISH LEAGUE RESULTS.

Glasgow, Nov. 4.—Following are the results of Scottish League football games played to-day on the grounds of the first-meeting club:

Rangers, 9; Morton, 1.

Dundee, 1; Celtic, 2.

Clyde, 1; Queen's Park, 1.

The Lark, 1; St. Mirren, 0.

Falkirk, 0; Partick Thistle, 0.

Ayr United, 3; Dunbarian, 1.

Hearts, 1; Partick Thistle, 0.

Motherwell, 1; Hibernian, 0.

St. John's, 0; Kilmarnock, 4.

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GARDEN—Farm, orchard, market gardens, poultry, bees, for pleasure, 50 cents. Read Garden Magazine, Vancouver, B. C. Published monthly, at 50 cents.

EXCHANGED—SUITES or room and board wanted in well heated house, by young couple, where there would be no objection to young baby. State terms to Box 138 Times.

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M'DONALD IS NOW MAJOR "FOGHORN"

Canadian Who Enlisted as Private at 53 Wins Another Promotion

London, Nov. 4.—"Foghorn" McDonald admits he is as "Scotch as oatmeal," but what he does not have to admit is that he is beyond doubt the best known man in the wonderful big army Canada has sent over to fight for the empire. Lieut.-Gen. Sir Sam Hughes is not jealous of "Foghorn's" distinction. The rawest rookie in the rearmost ranks of the Dominion forces proclaims it on the fighting line and looks up to this world wandering scion of the clan McDonald as a shunning example of what a lowly "buck" can do in trying times like these.

"Well, sir," he explained, "it's a man's war, by God, sir, and I respect every mother's son who's out there doing his bit. I was a full-fledged 'buck' myself once, and I know what they have to go through."

"Foghorn" came over as a private himself just two short years ago. Some of his home folks told him he was a "darned old fool" to enlist at 53, but "Foghorn" had been a miner all his days. He had hit the western trail from sunbaked Batopilas in the wilds of Mexico to the snow-shrouded valleys of the Yukon, and he knew what perseverance and pluck and courage and sacrifice could do.

He knew he would "make the grade," and so did a great crowd of his friends who gathered a day or two ago to "wet" that new third stripe and crown on the cuffs of his khaki army jacket. He was back from the front to receive this latest promotion, and he was boasting a major of his majesty's forces.

A Great Voice.

"Foghorn" was born Neil Roderick McDonald, but there are comparatively few who know him by that distinguished name. It is just plain "Foghorn" nowadays from one end of the trenches to the other, and one earful of that low rumbling, window-shattering, rock-shivering voice explodes all possible doubt as to the derivation of the nickname.

There are plenty of Germans who know "Foghorn," too. In the days of the deadlock, when trenches crept closer and closer together, he was one of those who burrowed beneath the earth and set off great mines under the enemy. He had not been a mining engineer in vain. Often his voice would go booming across "No Man's Land" hurling picturesque invectives at the Germans.

Now to know "Foghorn" McDonald is to miss one of the big human personalities of this war. It is not difficult to realize what a tower of encouragement and strength he is to the soldiers at the front.

"He is the sort of officer whose men would follow him to the gates of hell itself and walk in laughing," declared Major "Eddie" Holland, a longtime friend and a V.C. of the South African War.

"And speaking of hell," he added, "there may or may not be something in the fact that 'Foghorn' belongs to the Little Black Devils."

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The name was acquired by that unit because the unit was the 90th Regiment of the Canadian militia when it joined for active service at the beginning of the war, and the nickname had come down with the regiment, known also as the Winnipeg Rifles, from the days of the Riel Rebellion of 1885 in Canada. The Germans have learned the name, so now they know the 8th Battalion as the Black Devils. The battalion has adopted as its insignia a small black imp dancing in glee. The unit is living up to its appellation, according to all reports from the Somme front.

Not Afraid of Any Man.
It has been said of Foghorn that "he's not afraid of any man—and very few women." His home is in the great west of North America. Almost every province in Canada can claim him as her own, and he has lived much in the United States. His heart is as big as the world in which he has lived, and he has a way of calling a superior officer "Bill" or "Jim" or "George" and referring to a corporal as a "brother officer" that is quite baffling to the Englishman's idea of discipline. Some once spoke to "Fog" about it.

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"Foghorn" has been serving for some time as transport officer of the "Black Devils" and has been riding about the front lines on what he describes himself as "a mighty fine horse." Where he got the horse he will not tell you. "It wouldn't be passed by the censor," he said.

A good transport officer tries to keep his losses at a minimum and to make the deficiencies good as quickly as he can. "Foghorn" had his men in the Black Devils trained to the minute, which Scott was to be a crown witness, was not revealed.

ADJOURNED SCOTT CASE TO THURSDAY

Vancouver Magistrate Considering Whether He Should Hear Confession in Absence

SEARCH IS BEING PROSECUTED IN STATES

Vancouver, Nov. 4.—An intimation by Joseph Martin, K. C., that John T. Scott's confession to him involved the names of other people and that it had been arranged that Scott was to be a crown witness in the "other prosecutions," was the sensational titbit which was dropped in the police court this forenoon when the Scott case was called.

Scott was not present, and his former counsel made it clear that he had not been retained to defend Scott but merely to see that protection at the hands of Mr. Brewster was arranged for him, Scott, he said, had made a confession and was to enter a plea of guilty. The statement, as it was not privileged, Mr. Martin was quite ready to give to the court, but Magistrate Shaw was reluctant to go ahead until he had first thought the matter over, and so he adjourned the hearing until Thursday morning. Who the other parties are, or the nature of the prosecutions for which Scott was to be a crown witness, besides himself in arrangements for the plugging.

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Explained Position.

Vancouver, Nov. 4.—Everybody knows since yesterday that John T. Scott, the young election worker who conducted plugging in the famous Vancouver by-election of last February, escaped on Thursday night from the Burns detectives who were supposed to be watching him in a Seattle hotel, but that did not prevent Joseph Martin, K. C., M. P., who had been consulted by Scott, from appearing in the police court this forenoon before Magistrate Shaw for the purpose of explaining his position in connection with Scott and of trying to put in Scott's confession, which had been made to him in the presence of Mr. Severance.

"Remember you?" repeated "Fog." "Why bless your brass-hatted old soul, I'd know your hide in a tan yard."

A "brass hat" is the army name for all staff officers, and it comes, of course, from the abundance of gold braid they wear on their caps.

Some one asked how things were going at the front.

"Going?" said "Fog." "Why the boys are getting so gay out there one of our battalions came parading up to the front line trenches the other day with a brass band playing for all it was worth. They were right where you could get killed any minute, too, and even my old dad thought they were crazy."

"Guess I'll be getting back to the front soon myself," he concluded with a sigh: "this quiet life of London is getting on my nerves."

Mr. Martin did not hesitate to say that he no longer appeared for Scott; in fact, he went so far as to say that he had not been retained for the purpose of defending Scott. Scott had come to him and said that he had sworn to an affidavit which he had sent to Mr. Brewster and that he also had answered certain questions which had been suggested by Mr. Brewster, and that he wanted to plead guilty to the charge.

Mr. Martin did not hesitate to say that he was going to be protected—that he was going to be treated when the new government came in as a crown witness in proceedings of some kind to be taken against other persons mentioned by him in his affidavit. Mr. Martin added that he had undertaken the task only of seeing that Scott was to be protected.

The question whether the magistrate had any power to hear the confession by Scott in the absence of the accused was the point that his worship was not clear about, although Mr. Burns quoted the section of the act which gave that power. Mr. Martin added that the act was quite specific on the point and said that so far as he himself was concerned he was there not as counsel, but as a private individual who had heard the statement of Scott made in the presence of another party.

Magistrate Shaw, however, will take until next Thursday to go into the authorities on the subject. He mentioned that Monday, as suggested by Mr. Burns, would not give him enough time in which to do that, as he had the Saturday half-holiday to consider as well as the Lord's Day Act. Accordingly the case will come up next Thursday.

Doubly Wanted

Seattle, Nov. 4.—John T. Scott, against whom charges of election frauds have been made at Vancouver, B. C., and who was arrested in Seattle about 6 weeks ago, accused of having dodged immigration service inspection at the border when leaving British Columbia for the United States, now is a doubly-wanted man. Scott is alleged to have left Seattle for parts unknown last Wednesday, eluding the vigilance of four Canadian government agents who had had him under surveillance following his release on \$1,000 bail to answer the charges placed against him by the United States immigration service.

The bail bond protects the immigration service and local officers of the service are not particularly worried over Scott's disappearance. An active

search is being conducted by the Canadian government officials, however.

This is Scott's second disappearance from Seattle since he was released on bail. The first time he was found at Centralia and was persuaded to return to Seattle.

Scott's Statement.

Vancouver, Nov. 4.—After court this forenoon Joseph Martin, K. C., referred to give out for publication the confession of John T. Scott, which had been referred to before the magistrate. From other sources it is learned that Scott freely admits that he conducted the arrangements with John Clancy, of Seattle, who was paid in excess of \$1,000 on an agreement to furnish 100 pluggers in Vancouver. Scott says a man whose identity he does not know met him on two occasions on the street, giving him \$1,000 the first time and a greater sum the second time with which to carry on his operations. Scott apparently had upwards of \$3,000 available for the plugging. He says he suspected that the Conservatives were doing the same thing and relates that he was told by Clancy that Conservative agents were busy on the Seattle waterfront.

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Canadian, Texas, Oct. 31. Charles T. Russell, independent minister, editor of the Watch Tower, and prominent author and Bible expositor, died this afternoon of heart disease, on an Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe train, en route from Los Angeles to New York. Pastor Russell complained of feeling ill soon after leaving Los Angeles, and gradually grew worse. Death came while the train was stopped at Pampa, Texas, near here.

Pastor Russell's full name was Charles Taze Russell. He was born in Allegheny, Pa., on February 16, 1852, the son of Joseph L. and Anna Eliza (Blirney) Russell. He received his education under private tutors and was brought up under the Congregational faith. Failing to find satisfaction by inquiry from his religious teachers,



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young Russell rejected his early religious teaching, and for many years searched the creeds of other denominations and the writings of religious men and philosophers. Still finding no satisfaction, Russell turned to the Bible, and while not establishing a new religious creed, he established an independent ministry, free from the teachings and doctrines of the darker past. Pastor Russell was not only president of the Watch Tower Bible and Tract Society, but also president of The International Bible Students Association of London, England, and Brooklyn, New York. The activities of this society extend to almost every country on earth, having branch offices in Melbourne, Barneby, Elberfeld, Oebro, Christiania, etc. During the year 1912, alone, this society distributed the enormous total of over one thousand million tract pages throughout the world. These

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United Scottish Societies.

A meeting was held by the United Scottish Societies of Victoria on Thursday evening, under the chairmanship of Major Riddell, for the purpose of planning some form of benefit entertainment for the Returned Convalescent Soldiers, and it was decided that the event would take place on November 17, at the Old Drill hall. The discussions were interesting, and valuable suggestions were placed before the meeting.



Interior view of Royal Albert Hall, London, one of the largest Auditoriums in the World, where Pastor Russell, following the death of King Edward VII, delivered his famous address on "The Great Hereafter," to a vast audience.

hear his expositions of the Bible. He has preached to more people than any living man. The editor of The Continent says: "His writings have a greater newspaper circulation every week than those of any other living man. A greater, doubtless, than the combined circulation of the writings of all the priests and preachers in North America, together with a dozen of the best known editors and syndicate writers put together."

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As a Bible expositor and as a student of prophecy, Pastor Russell ranks as one of the greatest of the reformers. In his six volumes of "Studies in the Scriptures," the Divine Plan of the Ages, as outlined in the Bible, is set forth in such a clear and harmonious manner that these books have had a greater circulation than any other religious book in the English language, excepting the Bible; they now having reached the enormous total of between nine and ten million volumes. The first volume, "The Divine Plan of the Ages," having been published in twenty-one languages. These books are published and distributed practically at cost. His first volume of studies in the scriptures appeared in 1886, the second in 1890. While in 1896 appeared his famous volume entitled "The Day of Vengeance," or "The Battle of Armageddon." In these volumes 1914 was pointed to as the date indicated by the Bible prophecies as marking the close of the Gentile dominion, following which the great time of trouble would come upon the world, which trouble would eventually in the gradual establishment of the reign of peace on earth under the direct control of Christ's Kingdom. In these volumes the prophecies of the Bible pointing to the present conditions are set forth with such amazing accuracy as if they had been written since the great war commenced.

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In 1888 appeared his fifth volume of "Studies in the Scriptures" entitled "The At-Once-Meet Between God and Man." Also altogether from its doctrinal teachings, this book is said by critics to be the masterpiece of American literature.

Photo-Drama of Creation.

In the end of 1913, and early part of 1914, appeared what might be termed his crowning presentation to the world, viz.: The Photo-Drama of Creation. This wonderful production presents the Bible story beginning with the creation, tracing the world's history down to the present time. This great drama has been exhibited in many countries, and has attracted attention throughout the world. The best theatres and opera houses have been used in its exhibition. In America alone, some 8,000,000 people witnessed its presentation in 1914. All exhibitions of the drama were free. Indeed, the Photo Drama of Creation is one of the greatest religious philanthropies that has been given to the world.

The Secret of Russell's Popularity.

Probably no other feature of Pastor Russell's preaching appealed so strongly to the people as his stand for Jesus Christ, and His crucifixion as the world's Redeemer. His great doctrine was the ransom sacrifice of Jesus Christ and the hope of the world in the risen Saviour. His clear presentation of the Gospel of Hope held his audience spell-bound. His public addresses seldom lasted less than two hours, and often he would lecture two and three times a day. During his long ministry of over forty years he has taken his stand upon the Bible, absolutely independent of the creeds and doctrines of the past. During this time he has never ceased to herald the approach of Christ's kingdom as the hope of the world, when the children of men will receive the blessings purchased by their Redeemer.

Like all the other great reformers of the past, Pastor Russell has been subject to much criticism and persecution from other religionists. Seldom have they attacked his stand upon the Bible, but have been content to slander his character. In this connection he shares a similar disfavour with Luther and Wesley, who were similarly slandered and misrepresented. Pastor Russell's name will go down in history as one of the greatest of the reformers, while the names of his would-be persecutors will long have been forgotten. Probably no man during the past century has left such a stamp upon the religious world as Pastor C. T. Russell.

Tenders for Building.

The tenders close on Monday for the two-story building at Garibaldi road yards, to be used for a stores building.

Liberal Association to Meet.

A general business meeting of the Victoria Liberal Association is to be held in the K. of P. hall, North Park street, on Thursday evening next. A full attendance from all the wards is requested on that occasion, as there is important business to come up for discussion, including the adoption of amendments to the constitution.

United Scottish Societies.

A meeting was held by the United Scottish Societies of Victoria on Thursday evening, under the chairmanship of Major Riddell, for the purpose of planning some form of benefit entertainment for the Returned Convalescent Soldiers, and it was decided that the event would take place on November 17, at the Old Drill hall. The discussions were interesting, and valuable suggestions were placed before the meeting.

FINAL FIGURES OF A PROLONGED ELECTION

Incoming Government Will Have a Majority of Twenty Seven Over All

The longest-drawn out election ever held in any British colony has now concluded so far as concerns public knowledge of who are finally elected to the vote as counted. It is a trifle over seven weeks since the voters of the province expressed their opinion at the polls that Bowser must go, and it is three months since the first ballots were cast in the election, those which the sailors on H. M. C. S. Rainbow marked at Esquimalt.

By the tardy transmission of the figures of the soldiers' ballots as cast in the Old Country and in France, it is now possible to make up the final figures of the vote for candidates, which shows that the Liberal opposition has secured thirty-seven seats out of forty-seven, that the Bowser party has been successful in electing its candidates in eight seats, that one Independent Conservative retained the seat which he formerly held and that one Socialist was re-elected for the fifth time for the constituency which he has represented since 1902.

The seats won by the several parties are as follows:

Liberals—Albert, Atlin, Cariboo, Chilliwack, Columbia, Comox, Cranbrook, Dewdney, Esquimalt, Fernie, Grand Forks, Greenwood, Islands, Kamloops, Kaslo, Nanaimo, New Westminster, North Okanagan, North Vancouver, Omineca, Prince Rupert, Revistoke, Richmond, Rossland, Saanich, Slocan, South Vancouver, Vancouver (6), Victoria (4), Yale—37.

Independent Conservative—Cowichan—1.

Socialist—Newcastle—1.

Twenty-one of the candidates who failed to poll one-half as many votes as the lowest candidate elected lost their deposits, but there are in addition two candidates who withdrew and whose names remained on the ballots furnished the soldiers. No track was kept of their vote in Canada, but overseas Robert McBride, Independent Conservative candidate in Richmond, got the support of thirty-five soldiers, and Captain T. O. Townley, Independent Conservative in Vancouver city, got two hundred and fifty. There is no specific provision in the act as to the return of the deposits of candidates who withdrew, and it would look as if these, also, would go to increase the tiny drop which the total sum forfeited will be in the bucket of expense for the late election, which is roughly estimated as being in the neighborhood of \$150,000.

The candidates who lost their \$100 were two ex-members of the House, supporting the premier; three independent Conservatives in addition to the two who withdrew; eight Socialists, three Labor candidates, and five independents. They were: Fraser (C.), Cariboo; Pritchard (Labor) and Winkler (S.), Comox; McDonald (S.), Fernie; Gillett (Ind. Con.), Fort George; Jackson (C.), Greenwood; Skinner (S.), Nanaimo; Bloomer (Labor), Nelson; McNeil (Ind. Con.), North Vancouver; Wilton (S.), South Vancouver; Goodwin (S.), Trail; Trotter (Labor), Cassidy (Ind. Con.), Harrington (S.), White (Ind.), Appleby (Ind.), Fawcett (Ind. Con.), Vancouver; Dr. E. A. Hall (Ind.), Morley (Ind.), Smith (S.), Poupard (S.), Victoria.

A. E. Planta, Bowser candidate in Nanaimo, who lost his deposit on the civilian vote and on the civilian vote and that of the soldiers in Canada combined, managed to save it by six through getting a considerable number of votes in the Old Country. Captain J. N. Taylor, who is serving in a medical capacity in France, on the other hand, did not get a majority anywhere, and while he was able to save his deposit on the civilian vote he lost it on the civilian and Canadian vote, finally managing to save it by one-vote on the total count.

In the table below of the detailed vote, the figures given for Atlin are unofficial, the returning officer not yet having made his return of the civilian vote cast. The return from the official in Fort George came in only a day or two ago, and that from Chilliwack was also very long delayed. Included in the figures of the soldiers' vote in Canada for South Vancouver are 103 for Wearst, 114, for Bouton and 13 for Wilton which were counted subject to protest, but it is hardly likely that anything more will be heard of the protest. It is possible that recounts will be asked for in the cases of Esquimalt, Islands, Fort George and Slocan, and in the case of Fort George there is a likelihood that an election protest may be entered, as it is alleged that there were extensive irregularities which would invalidate the election of the minister of lands if proven. The totals for the thirty-nine constituencies follow:

Albert. Soldiers
Civilians. Homes. Total.
H. C. Brewster (L.) ... 299 26 11 336
J. G. C. Wood (C.) ... 298 13 44 333
A. W. Neill (L.) ... 214 11 27 252
Plurality for Brewster—32.

Atlin. Civilians.
Frank H. Mobley (L.) ... 299 26 11 336
W. X. McDonald (C.) ... 238 16 8 276
Majority for Mobley—54.

Cariboo.
John M. Yoston (L.) ... 346 25 88 433
J. A. Fraser (C.) ... 168 6 33 207
Majority for Yoston—26.

Chilliwack.
E. D. Barrow (L.) ... 871 78 38 987
W. L. Macken (C.) ... 654 87 46 785
Majority for Barrow—290.

Columbia.

John A. Buckingham (L.) ... 259 71 25 341
J. N. Taylor (C.) ... 229 38 10 271
Majority for Buckingham—270.

Comox.

Hugh Stewart (L.) ... 708 61 87 866
Michael Manson (C.) ... 733 61 85 879
W. A. Pritchard (Soc.) ... 234 4 8 246
G. E. Winkler (Soc.) ... 77 2 4 83
Plurality for Stewart—57.

Cowichan.

W. H. Hayward (L.) ... 420 27 32 539
K. F. Duncan (L.) ... 357 14 37 466
Majority for Hayward—151.

Cranbrook.

J. H. King (L.) ... 622 38 67 727
T. D. Caven (C.) ... 421 35 49 564
Majority for King—225.

Delta.

F. J. Mackenzie (C.) ... 805 168 51 964
A. D. Paterson (L.) ... 511 69 56 966
Majority for Mackenzie—58.

Dewdney.

John Oliver (L.) ... 754 81 82 927
W. J. Mansson (C.) ... 686 96 85 878
Majority for Oliver—149.

Esquimalt.

A. W. McCurdy (L.) ... 569 35 45 649
R. H. Pooley (Ind. Con.) ... 536 30 81 626
Majority for McCurdy—2.

Fernie.

Alex. I. Fisher (L.) ... 729 116 48 903
Thos. Upshall (C.) ... 649 98 90 826
J. D. McDonald (Soc.) ... 126 18 6 218
Plurality for Fisher—77.

Fort George.

Hen. W. R. Ross (C.) ... 429 12 68 469
John McInnis (Soc.) ... 367 27 78 462
W. G. Gillett (Ind. Con.) ... 254 5 26 158
Plurality for Ross—7.

Grand Forks.

J. E. W. Thompson (L.) ... 1,224 1,059 836 9,119
Ralph Smith (L.) ... 6,717 748 641 8,106
J. W. McIntosh (L.) ... 6,681 761 654 8,096
J. W. deB. Farris (L.) ... 5,528 747 606 7,881
Hon. W. J. Bowser (L.) ... 5,525 962 934 7,421
J. S. Cowper (L.) ... 5,940 652 464 7,056
P. Donnelly (L.) ... 5,740 703 683 7,005
C. E. Tisdall (C.) ... 4,968 948 1,022 6,942
Thomas Duke (C.) ... 4,646 823 959 6,205
Walter Lee (C.) ... 4,524 761 627 6,270
E. B. MacKenzie (C.) ... 4,256 728 622 5,826
W. R. Trotter (Ind. Con.) ... 4,093 182 219 4,247
Rott. Cassidy (Ind.) ... 1,904 242 302 2,451
J. D. Harrington (Ind. Con.) ... 774 106 184 1,299
E. G. Appleby (Ind.) ... 407 242 300 743
F. A. Fawcett (Ind.) ... 367 118 180 655
Plurality for Fawcett—2.

Kamloops.

J. H. Schofield (C.) ... 560 26 40 620
M. H. Sullivan (L.) ... 463 9 12 464
A. Goodwin (Soc.) ... 228 1 8 202
Plurality for Schofield—142.

Nanaimo.

M. A. McDonald (L.) ... 1,724 1,059 836 9,119
Ralph Smith (L.) ... 6,717 748 641 8,106
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Plurality for Fawcett—2.

Newcastle.

H. C. Brewster (L.) ... 4,173 241 574 5,068
George Bell (L.) ... 3,305 239 415 3,943
John Hart (L.) ... 3,140 205 212 3,690
H. C. Hall (L.) ... 2,765 165 230 3,261
Hon. A. Stewart (C.) ... 2,167 261 671 3,089
R. Hayward (L.) ... 2,140 184 468 2,793
Leonard Tait (C.) ... 2,047 210 617 2,774
John Dilworth (C.) ... 1,961 187 568 2,651
E. A. Hall (Ind.) ... 1,134 140 344

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WILL ARRANGE PLAN FOR POLE TRANSFER

Civic Streets Committee Deals With Question; Other Matters

By referring to a committee the question of transferring poles abandoned by the B. C. Telephone Company to the city and their re-transfer to the B. C. E. R., the streets committee yesterday dealt with an intricate matter. The committee will be composed of Aldermen Cameron, Dilworth and Walker, the engineer, solicitor and city electrician.

The engineer reported that he had had a talk with Mr. Hulse, secretary-treasurer of the B. C. Telephone Co., and this was the solution suggested. The cost, which would be nominal, would be paid by the companies.

The telephone company also applied for a certificate of the final completion of the conduit installation, and this matter was referred to the same committee.

The repair of Chatham street, between Government and Douglas streets, was authorized.

With regard to the question raised by the Civic Retrenchment Association as to the disposal of wood blocks taken from streets now asphalted, the city engineer reported that the good blocks were used to repair other streets.

A considerable number were still on stock at the city yards, while the old blocks were either used for fuel at the asphalt plant or given to soldiers' wives in Vancouver along these lines, while Victoria had a meeting arranged for next Wednesday evening in the King's Daughters' rooms, and New Westminster had fixed a conference of the same kind for November 16. Representatives from each of these cities had attended the meeting in Toronto, Mr. Macconnell as a delegate from Victoria; Dr. Fraser, from the First Presbyterian church, from Vancouver, and Rev. Mr. Thomson and Mr. Tait from New Westminster. Dealing with the contribution of the Presbyterian church by its policy and doctrine to the rights of the people and civil government, was read at the convocation.

The Presbyterian church from Atlantic to Pacific was splendidly represented, in fact, Ontario naturally, being so relatively easily accessible to Toronto, having the largest representation however.

Mr. Macconnell spoke to the last session of the convocation, pointing out that as far as Victoria was concerned six of the eighth Presbyterian pastors were against union.

Asked if there was a preponderance of sympathy one way or the other in any particular part of the country, Mr. Macconnell said that the Dominion could be divided roughly into two divisions in this respect, viz. east and west of the great lakes. The east, he said, had a much higher proportion opposed to church union than the west, which held the minority also in actual church membership.

The result of the convocation would be in effect a guarantee that the Presbyterian church would continue in Canada.

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But the real object of the convocation had been secured, and the covenant, which all Presbyterians would be given the opportunity of signing, would enroll those opposed to union in a united stand. This covenant, which was the principal resolution passed at convocation, was as follows:

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ANTI-UNIONISTS TO MEET NEXT WEEK

Rev. R. A. Macconnell Tells of
Plans Adopted by Toronto
Convocation

"The present movement will continue as long as the agitation for Church Union exists," pronounced Rev. R. A. Macconnell, the local Presbyterian delegate at the recent anti-union convocation held in St. Andrew's church, King street, Toronto, who returned yesterday from the east. Mr. Macconnell comes back confident as to the outcome of the resistance to union which is now being organized throughout the Dominion. The temper of the meeting from which he has just returned was even stronger than was generally anticipated, and the three-day sessions were marked by enthusiasm and a zeal which bespeaks determination and personal conviction on the part of each of the delegates.

The idea of church union was projected about fourteen years ago at Winnipeg, Mr. Macconnell explained in brief. Presbyterians and Methodists were in conference in the city at the same time. Three of the former were sent over as delegates to the meeting of the latter. One had, probably in an overflow of brotherly feeling, expressed the wish that the two churches might unite more closely. In reply to a question from the Methodist conference this delegate had explained that he spoke unofficially. But the expression had had wide-reaching effects, as the present agitation was the outcome.

The convocation of the Presbyterian Church Association, held in Toronto on October 17, 18 and 19 was arranged for the purpose of organizing resistance to this movement favoring the merging of the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational churches.

About six hundred delegates—lay and clerical—were present. The convocation was presided over by Dr. Andrew Robertson, of St. James' Square church, Toronto. J. C. Cunningham acted as secretary. A complete record of the addresses and discussions will be issued shortly in pamphlet form to the membership of the Presbyterian church throughout Canada, in order that the Anti-Union argument may be in the hands of the people. It is also the purpose of the association to start a paper for the presentation of the Presbyterian viewpoint on all matters pertaining to the church. At the head of this movement is John Penman, of Paris, Ont., who very generously came forward not only with a promise of a liberal contribution toward the starting of the paper but with offers of active help in the organization of this medium. There was a very hearty response from the convocation to this idea, as it was generally seen how valuable such an avenue for the expression of opinion would be, the Union element having monopolized the present Presbyterian publications.

People was taken upon that understanding, and out of a total membership of 288,916, 113,000 voted in favor of organic union and 50,733 against.

"And whereas, according to the foregoing, although from 1911 to 1915 the membership of the Presbyterian church in Canada increased approximately 40,000, the vote for union increased only 600, while the vote against union increased 23,000."

"Therefore, in view of these facts, as well as for other reasons, it is hereby resolved that our present duty is to maintain and continue the Presbyterian church in Canada, and to this duty we solemnly pledge ourselves."

Mrs. Bullock-Webster suggested that during the coming year the collecting should be done by the men, leaving the ladies free to devote their time to the workroom. That should be their part of the work.

On motion of Mr. A. Pauline, seconded by Judge Lampman, hearty votes of thanks were passed to the president, the honorary secretary and the honorary auditor for the services they had rendered and also to Mrs. Dr. Burgess for the entertainment she had given at her house when the sum of something like \$161 had been raised, for Red Cross purposes.

The following is a part of the annual report prepared by the secretary:

"Through the kindness of the board of school trustees, the ladies' work committee have had the use of rooms in the Oak Bay avenue school, and the result of their labors is evident from the following list of articles made during the above period: Surgical shirts, 305; day shirts, 1,329; tri. and T handages, 1,388; chest bandages, 268; abdominal bandages, 107; scutellot bandages, 2,351; roller bandages, 4,930; dressings, 7,228; pyjamas, 626; personal property bags, 453; socks, pairs, 520; dressing gowns, 40; kit bags, 6; wash cloths, 76; convalescent suits, 22; slippers, 152; hot water bag covers, 55; scarfs, mitts and helmets, 45; operating stockings, 16; handkerchiefs, 26. Total, 20,534."

"The ladies' work committee have, first under the leadership of Mrs. P. S. Lampman and later under the guidance of Mrs. Bullock-Webster, in addition to the above work, undertaken the collection of membership fees and donations and carried out the several fetes, concerts and teas with great success.

"The committee take this opportunity of gratefully acknowledging the supplies and materials which have been so generously given and assistance so willingly rendered on all occasions.

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